

Prices will Never Reach a Lower Level than in this Stupendous Pre-Christmas Sale.



Never Such Under-muslin Prices

We believe we're naming prices that come as close to giving merchandise away as anything we ever knew of.

CORSET COVERS.	
25c value at.....	10c
50c value at.....	30c
75c value at.....	50c
\$1.00 value at.....	80c
\$1.25 value at.....	90c
DRAWERS.	
25c value at.....	10c
50c value at.....	30c
75c value at.....	50c
\$1.25 value at.....	90c
GOWNS.	
\$1.00 value at.....	75c
\$1.50 value at.....	\$1.19
\$2.00 value at.....	\$1.47
\$2.25 value at.....	\$1.73
\$3.00 value at.....	\$2.39
COMBINATION SUITS.	
\$1.00 value at.....	75c
\$1.50 value at.....	\$1.19
\$2.00 value at.....	\$1.30
\$2.50 value at.....	\$1.79
SKIRTS.	
50c value at.....	30c
\$1.00 value at.....	75c
\$1.50 value at.....	\$1.19
\$2.00 value at.....	\$1.39
CHEMISE.	
50c value at.....	30c
\$1.00 value at.....	75c
\$1.50 value at.....	\$1.39

A War on Waist Values

We're pitching into waist prices like warriors. We're cutting the prices so low that the department ought to be literally jammed.

Messaline Waists, in all the newest colors, elaborately trimmed with yokes of lace or plaid, tailored at.....	\$3.90
Net Waists in white, black and tan; cluny and lace inserting, at.....	\$3.90
Black Chiffon Taffeta Waists, button back and tucked front, new effect, very pretty, at.....	\$3.90
Others from \$1 up to \$25.00.	

Serviceable Suits Slashed

but in price only. They're just as stylish, will give as much service and will please you as thoroughly as if you paid full price for them.

We attempt merely a general description of this selection of suits. The styles are numerous, mannish tailormades of worsteds, and dressier models of plain and stripe serge and wale chevots, in black and every wanted color—fitted and semi-fitted; all sizes. Worth up to \$22.50; special at

\$16.40

Suits of elegant imported Chiffon Broadcloths, handsome diagonals, rich worsteds, new wide wales, lovely serges—of course, you'll find something to delight you in such an assortment. Long coats, short coats, and every fashionable color, navy, black, rose, walnut, raisin, grey, smoke, tan. Beautiful in their tailoring simplicity. Lined with fine soft silk or guaranteed satin. Regular \$25 and \$30 value. Special at

\$18.75

Our line of Ladies' Suits; regular \$25 value, at \$14.90. In this lot you will find almost all sizes; colors are blue, raisin, taupe, etc. Length of coat 45 inches. Special at

\$14.90

Fur Prices Cut Unmercifully

The very heart has been cut out of their prices, we're selling them at a figure that doesn't even cover the bare cost of the raw material themselves.

Australian Black Lynx Sets, with large trimmed shoulder piece; large pillow shaped muff; splendid furs at

\$10.00

Black Fox or Wolf Sets with large pillow shaped muff and throw scarf, plain rich sets at

\$20.00

'American Black Lynx Sets, made of lustrous skins; splendid shoulder piece; large rug or pillow muff at

\$80.00

Mink Sets, made of fine natural mink skins, trimmed with heads and tails; large shapely neck piece and large muff; both lined with satin; excellent furs;

\$25.00 and up

NEVER is a mighty strong word, strongest we know, AND THAT'S WHY WE USE IT. Prices will NEVER be lower, We REPEAT it, WE GUARANTEE IT. When we planned this Sale we had but one object in mind; the establishing of a record that will stand for years to come. The reason for the sale is obvious; the season has been unusually backward, everyone knows that—it's hardly necessary to repeat it here. But the results of a backward season are appalling. Instead of stocks being at the low tide mark which is usually the case at this season of the year, they're high, UNUSUALLY HIGH, altogether TOO high.

ONLY ONE REMEDY FOR SUCH A CONDITION—CUT THE VERY LIFE OUT OF PRICES, FORGET ALL ABOUT PROFITS, CONSIDER ONE THING AND ONE THING ONLY—THE IMMEDIATE REDUCTION OF STOCKS.

The prices on this page reflect how DETERMINED we are to ACCOMPLISH THIS, how ENTIRELY we have overlooked every circumstance that usually presents itself.

Never in Connellsville's history has there been such a Sale—it's not even an exaggeration to say that in all likelihood, never has there been such a Sale in THE ENTIRE COUNTRY.

It's Stupendous, Unparalleled, Marvelous, Extraordinary

Sale Starts Tomorrow at 9:00 A. M.

Defying Coat Prices

We say it without fear of contradiction — these prices challenge all comparison. No one in Connellsville has ever seen or heard of their equal.

Coats of unusual style and warmth; coats that are 54 inches long, with beauty in every line—goodness in every inch. Chiffon broadcloths, rough serges, wide wales and diagonals are all here. And the color assortment includes black, navy, tan, smoke, etc. Graceful semi-fitting models, half-lined or full lined with guaranteed satin. Positively worth up to \$30.00. Special at

\$18.75

First glance at these coats will convince you of the unusual values. The tailoring, finish, fit, all superb. Charming simplicity in mannish plain tailored coats. Beautiful satin finish broadcloth, fine unfinished chevots, new diagonals, with shawl or long notched collar. Plain or cluster pleated bottom. Positively worth \$20 and \$22.50. Special at

\$15.75

Others from \$5.00 up to \$75.00—all reduced.

Children's Coats

Coats for the younger generation at prices so ridiculously low that you could almost afford to buy them a coat for every day in the week.

CHILDREN'S COATS—Sizes 2 to 10 years; come in reds, grays, blues and greens, plain, colors and novelty stripes; high storm collar, trimmed with velvet, double breasted styles, trimmed with buttons monograms and velvet; from \$17.50 down to

\$2.50

GIRLS' STORM CAPES—A sensible gift, made of gossamer rubber and reach down to tops of shoes; sizes 6 to 14 years; hood lined.....

\$2.90

One lot of Children's Bearskin Coats; all colors; slightly soiled from handling; worth up to \$2.50; special.....

98c

Wonderful Skirt Bargains

Just try to match the goods they're made of at any Dress Goods Store in town and you'll discover that we aren't charging you anything for making.

Skirts of fine quality Panama Cloth, combining many of the season's new features to make a dressy garment; pleated flounce and button trimmed; up to \$6.50 values. Special at.....

\$3.90

From our line of Skirts up to \$8.50 you can select elegant volles and Panamas; all styles; Special at.....

\$4.90

All Skirts, \$12.50 and up to \$15.50, both volles and Panama; perfect in style and trimming; special at.....

\$9.90

Women's Black Silk Petticoats, with deep tailored sectional and pleated flounces and underdrop; worth up to \$5.00. Special at.....

\$3.40

"Have a Hand" in These Gloves

You won't have to put your hand very far into your pocket-book if you do. Both long and short gloves at SHORT prices.

Ladies' one button Cape Gloves; colors, black and tan, at.....	\$1.00
Ladies' Chamis Gloves, natural colors; all sizes; at.....	\$1
Ladies' Dressed Kid Gloves, in all shades and sizes, at.....	\$1
Ladies' and Children's Fabric Gloves, all shades and sizes, at \$1.00, 75c, 50c and.....	25c

Hosiery

HOSIERY IN FANCY BOXES

Makes a sensible gift for any woman. Women's Lisle Thread Hosiery, full fashioned, deep garter tops; 3 pairs in a box for.....	\$1.25
Women's Imported Lisle Thread Hosiery, light weight; hand embroidered in silk, dainty designs in assorted colors; 4 pairs in a box for.....	\$1.75
Women's very fine Imported Lisle Thread Hosiery, shaped in knitting; elastic; boot daintily hand embroidered in silk in assorted colors; 3 pairs in a box for.....	\$2.00

Fancy Neckwear Underpriced

'Way underpriced at that—not merely one of those ordinary reductions that are common, but one of those Extraordinary Reductions that are uncommon.

Fancy lace edged and trimmed pleated lawn Jabots, several styles, each suitable for gift-giving, at 50c and.....	25c
Neck Scarfs in plain colors and figured silk, 1 1/2 yards long, from \$5.00 down to.....	50c
Large Silk Maline Neck Bows.....	25c
Fancy Collars of lace and silk trimmed, in different styles; colors, pink and blue, at.....	50c
Phoenix Mufflers, all colors and sizes; a most desirable gift, at.....	43c
Ruching Boxes, containing six lengths, at 50c and.....	25c
Collar and Cuff Sets of lace at.....	50c

Corsets Cut to Cost

and then some, in many cases. It isn't often you have an opportunity to share in such remarkable values as these.

New long hip models in well known makes, including Madame Binnet, R. & G. and American Beauty. The best style effects: come in corsets and ballises of superb quality. Prices 50c AND UP.

ALL HOLIDAY GOODS AT ONE-FOURTH OFF THE MARKED PRICE.

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Until 9 O'clock.

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Until 9 O'clock.

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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 17, 1909.

THE COURSE OF COKE DEVELOPMENT.

The last considerable tract of Low-er Connelville coal has passed into an operating proposition.

The fact is significant, especially to the holders of the trans-Monongahela coking coal. It means that the course of Connelville coke production is on its way into Greene county. Already large tracts of this coal have been sold to operating interests and their development will doubtless soon begin.

The price said to have been paid for this tract of coal by one of the oldest and most experienced coking interests in the Connelville field has established a pretty firm value for the coal lands of the Lower Connelville region, and will doubtless set a new high mark for Greene county coal, which is a continuation of the same seam with practically the same qualities.

Westward the course of Coke takes its way.

THE YOUGHIO RIVER IMPROVEMENT BILL.

The Youghiohenny river improvement bill is a model of brevity. It reads as follows:

Be it enacted, etc., That the Youghiohenny river in Western Pennsylvania be improved by the construction of the necessary locks and dams to secure a channel depth of not less than that in the Monongahela river.

The bill is also general in character. It doesn't necessarily stop at West Newton. The improvement may come to Connelville. Under this bill, if it becomes a law, the canalization of the river will advance just as fast and as far as the appropriations under it run.

This advancement will be step by step and slowly; and it will probably be many years before Connelville has river navigation; but we will in the meantime not be without hope.

King Leopold is dead and King Albert in Belgium. Leopold, exiled to the Congo and Albert took over the free government in America. Leopold was aggressive and adventurous; Albert promises to be benevolent and beneficent. Belgium has perhaps lost nothing in its change of rulers.

The Slovak statesmen have learned the art of legislative filibustering from free America.

The long-winded Democratic friends who want to discuss the tariff and the House Tax with us will have to excuse us until a more convenient season. The advertisers have taken our word.

The open gas grate or stove should be screened, especially in homes where little children are present, as screens are effective and inexpensive.

The herd property has been connected with a great many industrial propositions, it is to be hoped that this time is the chosen.

Stubborn Jim Smith has been recommended for pardon, the prosecutors having generally joined in the petition. We trust that he found some honest and charitable man, with a heart big with love instead of black with hate for his own flesh and blood.

Politicians show signs of warming up in spite of the cold weather. Borough and township nominations are reasonable and proper, but it's a trifle early for Congressional ambitions. They are in danger of being frost-bitten.

Million dollar coking deals are in danger of becoming common.

The mining experts differ as to the best means of safeguarding the mines, but this fact need not discourage the reformers.

The law forbids discrimination in insurance rates as well as railroad rates. The railroads are not the only trusts being regulated. But there are some trusts whose loud demands for the regulation of their rates are being brought down upon them some of their own medicine. They need the medicine.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted—HEAL, OLIVE, FULL pipe. See G. H. HAM & CO.

Wanted—GENTLEMAN BOARD—see 402 WEST MAIN STREET, West Side.

Wanted—GIRL, FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Miss C. E. SCHIRMER, 211 South Prospect St., 1700001

Wanted—A GOOD GIRL, FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Miss C. E. SCHIRMER, 211 South Prospect St., 1700001

Wanted—BY GENTLEMAN, WARM furnished room. Give price and particulars. Address "ROOMER," care The Courier.

Wanted—TO BORROW \$5,000 FOR two years at 4% with liberal bonus. Approved security. Address "LOAN," Courier Co.

Wanted—DON'T BE A "READY-made man when you can get a perfect fitting suit or overcoat to your measure at hand-me-down prices. DAVIS COHEN, TAILOR.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOUSE ON EAST GIL-son Avenue. All conveniences. Inquire BELL PHONE 123-J. 7dec-17

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE, reception hall and bath; all modern conveniences. Inquire 110 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE. 18dec-17

For Sale.
FOR SALE—A TEAM OF DRAFT horses, matched. DETWILDER Murphy Siding. 11dec09td

FOR SALE—ADVERTISEMENTS under this board. They are effective and cheap.

FOR SALE—ICE PLANT AT DUN-der. A bargain. P. J. McFARLAND, Dunbar, Pa. 11dec09td

FOR SALE—ONE-HORSE SLED Good delivery sled. Inquire FRID MARTIN, Breakneck, near Escanor. 18dec09td

Found.
FOUND—GLASSES THAT SATIS-fy. Get them at O'HANIAN & CO's.

Wanted to Loan.
\$10,000 ON CONNELLSVILLE Im-proved property. See S. H. HOWARD, Second National Bank Building 18dec09td

To Loan.
TO LOAN, FROM \$1,000 TO \$10,000 on first mortgages approved security. R. ROBE DEYARMON, Uniontown or Dawson, Pa. 17dec09td-000

Notice to Contractors.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed proposals for the grading of Ashman Avenue from the end of the present brick paving at the east line of Ninth Street, in the Borough of Connelville, West Side, to the Borough limits, being the west side of Twelfth Street, said Borough, will be received by the Secretary of Council, Borough Building, Connelville, up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Tuesday, December 21st.

Plans and specifications for this grad-ing may be seen and examined in the office of the Borough Engineer, J. B. Hoge, Second National Bank Building, Connelville. Estimated amount of grading is 1800 cubic yards. The Borough authorities reserve the right to reject any and all bids. EDGAR CYPIER, Chairman of Street Committee. Attest: A. O. BINKER, Clerk. 18dec09td

Real Estate For Sale and Rent.

FARMS, HOMES AND LOTS FOR Sale. Houses for Rent. Money to Loan. Notary Public.

JOS. A. MASON,
Room 305, Second National Bank Bldg.

FRESH Oysters

Just received another ship-ment of these fine

Chesapeake Bay Oysters

This Morning.

We are handling the largest stock of oysters that is shipped out of Baltimore and will serve them in any style at

Oyster Restaurant

Under Flanagan's Butcher Shop,

201 W. Main Street

Call 191-W Tri-State Phone.



WHAT to give him for Christmas is a problem we solve many times a day. Our store being headquarters for Men's things, the ques-tion is very easily answered. For Men, both old and young, great and small, we've ideal gifts—just the sort of gifts that will be appreciated the most, after Christmas is over.

From our stock of Men's excellent Garments, correct Headwear and choice Haberdashery the most ap-propriate Christmas gifts, it is pos-sible to make, can be chosen.

Here Are Some Suggestions

MUFFLER
SUIT CASE
HAT OR CAP
TOILET SETS
NIGHT ROBE
UMBRELLA
SCARF PIN

SUIT
OVERCOAT
RAINCOAT
BATH ROBE
SHIRTS
GLOVES
HOSIERY

COLLAR BAG
HOUSE COAT
SUSPENDERS
Cuff Buttons
UNDERWEAR
Handkerchiefs
TIES, Etc., Etc.

Make your selections early, while the picking is the best. Better now than later.

You'll find our prices no barrier to choosing ex-actly what you'd like to give "Elin."

E. W. HORNER

Tailor, Clothier, Hatter, Furnisher.
128 N. Pittsburg Street, Connelville, Pa.



NOT ONLY IN APPEARANCE but in all those qualities that BACK UP the outward signs, will you find that we excel in the stock we handle. OUR FIRST REQUISITE, in buying for your use, is that the looks shall BACK UP the quality, but not deceive about it. To all who get their SHOES, here, we refer you, knowing that they will assure you that we live up to our advertising?

JOHN IRWIN, The Shoe Man.

SOISSON THEATRE, Wednesday, Dec. 22

The Season's Solid Success JOS. M. GAITES

What the Critics Said:

Charles Danton in the New York World "Three Twins a credit to Broadway—the answer to the eternal question 'where shall I go tonight?'"

New York American: "The parents of the lucky trio might be proud indeed of the warmth of the welcome accorded by a crowded house of New York first nighters."

Acton Davies, after witnessing the 14th performance of "Three Twins" at the Herald Square Theatre, New York, said: "There has been no other musical comedy in town this year that can hold a candle to 'Three Twins'—Dramatic Circle, New York Evening Sun, October 20th."

New York Times "The Three Twins makes a triple hit."

New York Telegram "Suc-cess of the first rank."

Ashton Stevens says: "The Yama Yama Girls is 'It' in 'Three Twins'—New York Evening Journal"

"The Three Twins is the best musical comedy which has land-ed on Broadway in many a season, winter or summer."—New York Evening Mail.

New York Evening Sun "The Yama Yama song scores a huge success in an uncommonly fresh and amusing show."

Begs to Offer the Magnificent Production

Five Months at
Whitney Opera House
Chicago

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Ten Months at
Herald Square Theatre
New York

T W I N S

The Greatest Musical Comedy Success America Has Ever Known

IT IS DIFFERENT FROM ALL OTHERS
4 Months at Forest Theatre, Philadelphia

MORE Song Hits
Laughs
Pretty Girls
Augmented : Orchestra

Book by Charles Dixon
Music by Karl Hoschna
Lyrics by O.A. Hauerbach

PRICES:—25, 50, 75, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Seat Sale opens Monday at the Theatre. Both Phones.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST

For Western Pennsylvania.—Rain or snow, cooler at night, Saturday, snow blisk northwest winds

HOLIDAY HINTS

Read this column care-fully, then revise your list. Men in particular will find these sugges-tions of much help in Christmas buying.

Let us assist you in selecting your gifts. Many who yet have presents to buy, have not done so because of their undecidedness as to what would please. A visit to our store will easily suggest something appropriate. Remem-ber! the time till Christmas is now being counted in days and that early shopping is always the most pleasant and at the same time most satisfactory. The fol-lowing are just a few that hint of many others

Umbrellas

For men, women and children. Stylish new types, with gold, sil-ver, natural and the new hard-wood handles, in plain or elegantly mounted and carved effects in artistic designs. The material and workmanship of these are the best. Always appropriate as a gift, and shown here at all prices

Linen

Fine imported satin damask, with napkins to match, all price linen table sets, separate nap-kins, dresser scarfs, lunch cloths, fine towels, dollies and center pieces, here in time for Christ-mas in the very newest designs of the season

Besides these we are showing fine dress linens, linens for art work and fancy and plain linens for towels, etc. Wouldn't you ap-preciate something of the kind?

Bissell's Sweepers

Save labor and keeps your carpets and rugs bright and new. An ab-solute household necessity, the best on the market and an accept-able gift. Here in different styles, finishes and prices.

Phoenix Mufflers

Fancy, close knit comfortables for the neck in good styles and all colors. Put up separately in Christmas boxes at 50c

For Baby

Only room to suggest. How about one of these Kienkledown, Knit and Animal Robes, illustrat-ed quilts, knit or silk caps, ki-monas, booties, leggings, mittens, sweaters, silver spoons, beauty pins etc

Silk Scarfs

A new lot of these in silk and crepe in plain colors and beauti-ful designs and tints that are sure to please. They come in all sizes and prices. 50c up to \$4.00

Art Bags

Made of fancy art denims into various style bags suitable for laundry collars, work bags, sew-ing outfit and small scissors hold-ers. Have you seen them?

Carpet Department

Surprise the folks at home with a new duggat a new carpet a pair of new window curtains or portieres. Such gifts as these are always welcome received. See our floor

Other Suggestions

Here are a few more which may solve the problem of buying gifts and which may suggest at others. Pairs of all kinds, Men's Wom-en's and Children's Handkerchiefs, Bed Spreads, Kimona Patten as Silk Dress Patterns, Kid Gloves Men's Suspenders, Belt Pins, Scarf Pins, Cuff Links, Neck Chains and Drop Hat Pins, Stick Pins Jet Pins Beauty Pins, Mesh Bags Hand Bags, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets, Desk Sets, Dress-ers Novelties, and hundreds of others equally as appropriate. You are invited to come and let us aid you in purchasing your gifts

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,

Christmas Toys

Our line of Christmas Toys is now open for your choosing. The line this year is larger and better than ever. They are all priced at popular prices, and everything to please the children may be found here, priced to suit your purse.

Dolls, Go-Carts, Animals, Automobiles, Drums, Friction Toys, Mechanical Toys, Railroad Trains, Street Cars, Horses, Dogs, Cats, Toy Dishes, Black-boards, Building Blocks, Games, Iron Toys, Magic Lanterns, Moving Picture Machines, Books and ev-erything to please the children are here in endless array.

FINE CHINA

We have a \$1700 stock of beautifully decorated French, German and Austrian China, which we are closing out during the holiday sea-son at prices that are ridiculously low. All the profit and then some more has been chopped off, and now is the time to buy beautiful use-ful presents at prices which no dealer in China would dream of selling for. We have thousands of different articles and can only quote a few here. Come and see.

85 doz Decorated China Plates, fine transparent china, with neat Haviland edge, decoration of small roses, both tea and din-ner size Each.....	10c	11 doz Salad Dishes, one of the most beautiful decorations over on the market, with swill crimped shape, each	65c
79 doz Cups and Saucers to match the above plates, English or Haviland shape cups. The cup and saucer	10c	Creamers or Sugar Bowls, each.....	10c
17 doz American China Salad Dishes, very pretty decorations, each.....	10c	11 doz Large Salad Dishes, with pretty floral dec- orations, each.....	20c
		Hundreds and hundreds of other articles in China just as low in price.	

Underwear--Reduced Prices

15 doz Boys' and Misses' Fleece Lined Underwear, heavy, warm and durable, regular 25c gar-ments, to go for.....	19c	20 doz Men's Heavy Gray Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, the best 50c garment on the market. Some slightly sold. All to go for, the piece.....	39c
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MILLINERY

REMEMBER!—We are closing out all our Millinery at half price. Hats, Phases, Fancy Feathers, Trimmings of all kinds at just half. This is your opportunity. Your loss if you neglect it.

SCHMITZ' New York Racket Store

For Christmas Gifts

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Nothing is going to please them so much as a pair of our High Top Shoes. They will be warm, keep the feet dry and are certain-ly the ideal footwear for winter. It makes a sensible purchase for you as a gift and one that goes right to the heart to the one that receives.

For Boys.—We have black and tan with one or two buckles, heavy soles and durable uppers, just the kind for the average boy nowadays.

For Girls.—We have black, tan and ox-blood, button and lace; in the very high tops called Jockey Shoes we have them in patent with tan and red tops; very popular.



C. W. DOWNS & CO., Connelville's Leading High Grade Shoe Store

Christmas Shoes and Slippers

Our Slipper assortment is a splendid one. There's too big a variety to describe them. We have them in every pattern for Men, Women and Children.

FOR MEN—Black, Tan and Wine Leather in Slippers or Borneos, from \$1.15 to \$2.00. Nice com-fortable Felt Slipper from \$1.00 to \$1.50.

FOR WOMEN—Felt Slipper, fur trimmed or plain, in Blue, Black, Brown and Maroon, \$1.00 to \$1.50. All sizes for the children from 75c to \$1.00.

High Top Shoes for children are selling well. All the fancy trimmings in Black or Tan. All sizes for small children to the big boy or girl.

No gifts more sensible—no gifts that are ap-preciated more than footwear.

Norris & Hooper

104 W. Main St., Connelville, Pa.

MACE & CO.

The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Dec. 17.—Jacob Ploro, who is employed at Thompson No. 2, was here Wednesday the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ploro, of Furness Road.

Mrs. Ella Ryan Purinton would be pleased to have you call at her studio and inspect her line of hand-painted china and water colors. Room 303, First National Bank.

B. Bowman, Mrs. William A. Smith, Mrs. Luther Nelson, Mrs. Catherine Williams and Mrs. L. S. Kerschner were among the shoppers in Connellsville yesterday.

Mr. and Elijah Gienberger, who have been the guests of friends at Dickerson Road for the past week, have returned home.

Redding Hunt, who has been attending to some business matters at Altoona, Pa., returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Harvey, who has been visiting friends at Dickerson Run, returned home Thursday.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian Church held their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon at the parsonage. Mrs. C. C. Miller was the hostess.

A large number of the members were present and an interesting meeting held. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mesdames William Jones, Geo. St. Elizabeth Patterson and Grant.

Mrs. Annie Donner and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Altoona, were here on Thursday the guests of friends.

Mrs. Annie Whalley of Altoona, was here Thursday visiting friends.

Mrs. Della McFarland was the guest of friends in Altoona Thursday.

The Silver Jubilee Club met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John E. Smith. A large number of members were present and spent an enjoyable afternoon. The decorations for the afternoon were in keeping with the holiday season. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

The funeral of the late George Fry, who was killed by a fall of slate on Monday while at his work in the Westport mine of the Dunbar Furnace Company, was held on Thursday afternoon from St. John's Episcopal Church at the residence of which the deceased was a layman. The services were conducted by his late pastor, Rev. F. W. Beckman, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church of Altoona, assisted by Rev. C. C. Miller, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The church was filled with friends of the deceased. The service at the grave was conducted by Rev. C. C. Miller, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The floral tributes were many and beautiful and were sent by the lodge and his fellow employees. Interment was made in Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Mrs. Edward Lee and daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Lee, who have been the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. J. J. Lee, of Speers Hill, left for their home at Tompkinsville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Smith of Smithfield, were here Thursday.

Miss Inez Carroll left Thursday for Altoona where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Rev. F. C. Velle of the East End Methodist Protestant Church of Altoona, was here Thursday evening assisting at the evangelistic services at the M. B. Church.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Dec. 17.—Dan Monteth will give a shooting match for turkeys and chickens on Christmas day. Lindsay McNamee of Altoona, called to see his son Dr. W. T. McNamee Wednesday.

The first sleigh of the season was seen on the streets Thursday morning. There is not very much snow but the condition of the roads would require only a little more of the beautiful to make good sleighing.

George Brown of Woodbridge town, was here on business Thursday.

The First National Bank is the first in the field with a 1910 calendar and price listing them out to their patrons. The calendar is a beautiful art design from a painting entitled "Hide and Seek" by Arthur J. Baskin.

A. C. Jones, sales foreman at Whittier, is confined to the house with an ailment on one of his legs.

George Horton, a fireman for the M. B. Church, was here Thursday repairing damage done by the mountain storm.

Edward Young of Ft. Marion, was here Thursday reading letters for the Star Line Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. High have returned from Altoona where they had been attending the wedding of their daughter, Miss Letitia and Porter S. Brown of Verona, which took place at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sterling, at Wilkesburg, Wednesday, December 8. Rev. W. M. Ryan of Smithfield, officiated.

OHIOPILE.

OHIOPILE, Dec. 17.—Miss Lillie McWilliams of Mt. Sterling, Md., and Mrs. George Hershberger of W. M. Giffelsky was in Connellsville and Altoona Thursday.

Paul W. Jones of Starvation, was calling on friends here last evening.

D. H. Horton of Connellsville, spent Thursday on business for the Ohiopile Company.

John Woodman of Bidwell, was in town last evening.

Mrs. Isaac Mitchell was in Connellsville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Linteman, accompanied by his sister, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nicholson and family of Denon avenue here.

John Gordon of Bidwell, was in town on business last evening.

Miss Pearl McNair returned to her home in Wilkesburg Thursday after visiting friends here.

CASSELLMAN.

CASSELLMAN, Dec. 16.—Charles Bahlwin of Meadville, was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. Milton Rupp and Mary Nedrow were in Somerset Tuesday.

The Casselman Cornet Band will hold a festival here Friday and Saturday evenings. Everybody invited.

Charles Sullivan of Meers Court, N. D., is here visiting his parents who reside on the lands of his birth.

Just for a sack of White Elephant flour. It adds them all in quality and price. \$1.50 a sack, at East End Grocery, and Dixon & Lyle, West Side.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Dec. 16.—Mr. Bell, of the firm of Doyle & Bell, was here yesterday calling on the radio.

Leuna Beatty was in Dunbar yesterday visiting friends.

Henry Goldsmith of Connellsville, was here Thursday.

Invitations have been received here for the grand military ball to be held in the Armory, Friday evening, December 31.

Louis Vickovic was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Barlickow was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Joe Means has moved to Allison, Pa., where he will accept a position as stable boss.

The Order of the Domestic Chain met last night and conducted their usual business.

A large delegation from here witnessed "The Wolf" at the Colonial theatre, Connellsville, Wednesday evening and were well pleased with the attraction.

Floris Thomas was in Dunbar yesterday visiting friends.

A number of young people from this place who go to the Leisenring High school are in the play which comes off Friday evening, December 17, and they assure all present that the play will be the best ever put on by the two schools. The societies are the Princetonians and the Leisenringians.

Miss Eva Kelly was calling on Connellsville friends yesterday.

William Johnson, Jr., the manager of the Vanderbilt bureau, made a return of the register list at Altoona today and was accompanied by his son, Henry.

Mrs. Harry Lumen of Youngstown, O., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Vernon.

Mrs. Henry Barlickow of Star Junction, is visiting friends here.

Wyatt Thompson is wearing a broad smile. It's a boy.

Nelson Jones, a barber, of this place, was in Altoona on business yesterday.

A. W. Smith, who is employed as manager for the Dunbar Fire Brick Company, at Dunbar, is home ill with the grip.

William Johnson, Jr., has bought a car load of Ohio turkeys which he expects here about December 29. He also states that he will be able to retail these turkeys at about 10 or 12 cents a pound.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 17.—L. K. Thomas of Somerset, passed through town yesterday on his way to Altoona.

H. S. McClure made a business trip to Pittsburgh this week.

Mrs. Charles Watson of Connellsville, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burnworth.

Dr. J. L. Hunt of Ohio, made several professional calls here Thursday.

Orville Oester of Charleston was a business caller in town Thursday.

R. H. Koons of Greensburg, was the guest of friends here this week.

The Confluence Band will hold a band concert in Thurston Hall, Saturday evening, December 18, and will have charge of the program.

William Burkholder of Drunktown, was here on business yesterday.

John Somersburg of Fort Hill, was a business caller here Thursday.

Mrs. Samuel Oehler returned home yesterday after a short visit with friends in Markettown.

Mrs. William Lohm of Somerset, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bruze were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Oester of Charleston, Wednesday.

George Munnich of Connellsville, was calling on friends here this week.

Charles Belz, D. O. engineer, and a former resident of this place, but now at Chambersburg, was in town greeting old friends Thursday.

Mrs. Calvin Youngkin and son Russell, who have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Colburn, at Outcrop, returned home Thursday.

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MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 16.—The stock of groceries and fixtures in the store of Paul A. Miller was sold at auction's sale this afternoon by Attorney Clarence L. Shaver of Somerset and was knocked down to Mrs. F. A. Bittner for \$300. The stock and fixtures were bought by Mrs. Bittner presumably for her husband, F. A. Bittner, who is at present clerking in the store of the Queenstown Supply Company at Rutherford and who intends to embark in the grocery business at this place.

Among the out of town visitors today were S. P. Maust and M. S. Maust of Elk Lick; Samuel Hostetter, Greensburg, and W. S. Welles, Summit Mills.

The decorators are now at work in the Second National Bank building. It is hoped by the banking people to be able to occupy their line new building by the first of the year.

Late evening tin cockpits on the McAvoy alley's the Weeklands defeated the combinations by the score of 1435 to 1831. This time the two clubs and "rubber" will be played in the near future.

"Jeff" the young son of William Forrester, has been arrested for breaking window lights in his grandfather's house on Salisbury street, South Side, besides committing other depredations. It is said that the youngster has confessed and implicated others, which may prove interesting as the trouble is finally settled.

At the meeting of the Sons of Veterans held Wednesday evening it was decided that the organization would be continued under the present charter, camp name and number, viz. Major J. D. McArmstrong Camp, No. 58, Sons of Veterans. A strong camp could be maintained here as there are scores of young men whose fathers or grandfathers are honorably discharged veterans of the Civil War.

Mrs. J. G. McNulty of Johnstown, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Newcomer, of Light street.

At a meeting of the barbers it was decided to close their places of business on Christmas day at 12 o'clock noon, and remain closed until the following Monday morning. It has been announced that the schools will close on Friday previous to Christmas and reopen the Monday following New Year's day.

George Jokes, who is engaged in the hotel and livery business at Salisbury, was in town today and upon his return took with him several selected cutters in order that he may be prepared to take advantage of the rush anticipated on account of the excellent sleighing.

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1 lb. Fancy Walnut Meats 45c

1 lb. Shelled Almonds 50c

3 quarts Fancy Cranberries 25c

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The Riverman

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"Jump in," said Carroll. "We'll drive out. Perhaps they'll get out the life saving crew."

Carroll drove straight ahead until Prince stood at the top of the plank road that led down to the bathhouse. Here she pulled up.

"Look there—out farther!" pointed Mina.

Three little toy ships—or so they seemed compared to the mountains of water—lay broadside to just inside the farthest line of breakers. Two were sailing schooners. These had been thrown on their beam ends, their masts pointing at an angle toward the beach. Each wave broke in a deluge of water that covered their hulls completely from sight. With a mighty suction the billow drained away, carrying with it wreckage. The third vessel was a steam barge. The sternward side of her upper works had given away first, so now the interior of her staterooms and saloons was exposed to view as in the cross section of a model ship. Over her, too, the great waves buried themselves, each carrying away its spoil.

"Poor fellows!" cried Mina.

"What?" asked Carroll.

"Don't you see them?" queried the other.

Carroll looked, and in the rigging of the schooner she made out a number of black objects.

"Are those men up the masts?" she asked.

She set Prince in motion toward the beach.

At the foot of the plank road ran out into the deep sand. Through this the phantoms made its way heavily. Already the beach was strewn with pieces of wreckage.

The crowd gathered at the pier comprised fully half the population of Monrovia. It centered about the life saving crew, whose motor was being loaded. A

store-in lifeboat mutely attested the failure of other efforts. When the preparations were finished their chief aimed the motor and pulled the string. The dart with its trailer of line rose on a long, graceful curve. The reel sang. But the resistance of the wind and the line early made itself felt. Slower and slower hummed the reel. By a good 300 yards the shot failed to carry over the vessels.

"There's Mr. Bradford," said Carroll, waving her hand. "Couldn't they get the lifeboats out to them?" she asked as he approached.

"Not."

"But surely they will never get a line over with the motor?" said Carroll.

"That last shot fell so far short!"

"They know it. They've shot a dozen times."

At this moment from the river a trail of black smoke became visible over the point of sand hill that ran down to the pier. A smokestack darted into view, slowed down and came to rest well inside the river channel. There it rose and fell on the swell. The crowd uttered a cheer.

"Come and see what's up," suggested Bradford.

He pitched Prince to a log and led the way to the pier.

The Spirit was lying close under the pier. Harvey, the negro engineer, leaned against the sill of his little square door, smoking his pipe.

"I wouldn't go out there for a million dollars!" cried a man excitedly. "Nothing on earth could live in that sea!"

"What are they going to do?" asked Carroll.

"Haven't you heard?" cried the other. "This is one of Orde's tugs, and she's going to try to get a line to them vessels."

Bradford turned abruptly and brushed toward the tug, followed by Carroll and Mina. At the edge of the pier was the tug's cabin. Mares, listening to earnest expostulation by a half dozen of the leading men of the town, among whom were both Newark and Orde

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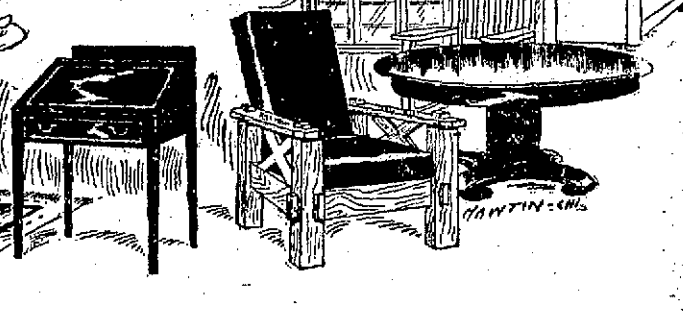
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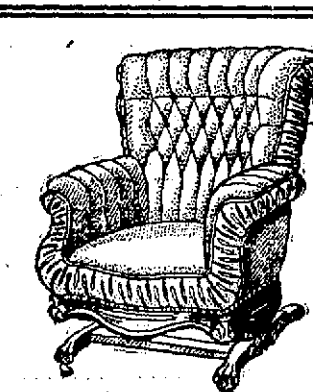
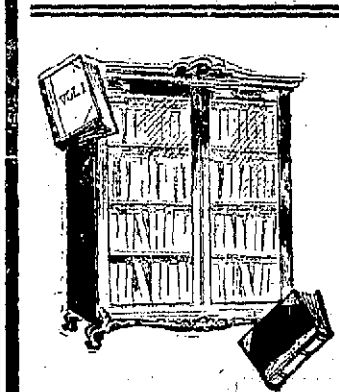


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GREEN ROOM CHAT.

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The "Three Twins."

Playing a "bucolony scene" in musical comedy is much preferable to enacting the same in the dignified and

grandiloquent "Romeo and Juliet." At least that is the view taken by Miss Elizabeth Carmody, prima donna at "Three Twins," which will be seen at the Soisson theatre, Wednesday, December 22. "You see, I have a balcony scene with Mr. Whiffen, the star," confessed Miss Carmody, the other day, "and it is the portion of the play I like best. We give the pretty song, 'Good Night, Sweetheart,' and there is music and becoming lights, and one is at one's best. Most young actresses want to play Shakespeare but I would rather sing and laugh to a handsome musical comedy hero than languish and whimper and sigh, 'Romeo, where art thou?'"

Although Mr. Whiffen does not climb up to the balcony, which contains his heart's desire, he is just as athletic as

any other actor in the company.

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Christmas Gifts

at Union Supply Company Stores.

We want to call your attention to the great preparations that our stores are making to take care of your Christmas shopping. We have been, for several months, watching the markets and picking up novelties and our stores are over-loaded now with the finest selection of Christmas Toys, Games, and other suitable gifts for Children that you can find. They are going to be sold at ridiculously low prices. This class of goods we do not figure making money on; we keep them for the accommodation of our patrons. Watch the displays. Make your purchases early. We will hold them for delivery until a later date.

Preparations for Christmas dinners are already going on and you will find, as usual, our stores, especially the Meat Markets, Grocery, Produce, and Confectionery Departments, loaded with the choicest goods for the holidays that the market produces. If there is anything special you want that we have not got in stock we will take great pleasure in securing it for you.

UNION SUPPLY COMPANY.

63 DEPARTMENT STORES

Located in Westmoreland, Fayette, Allegheny Co.'s.

BEST XMAS GIFT IN THE WORLD FOR \$1

What is the best Christmas gift? Why, of course, the one that does the person that receives it the most lasting good. With a single dollar you can open a savings account with this strong bank for your boy or girl or any little friend you may want to remember.

It's the best Christmas gift you can make—increase in value every year. It is an object lesson in saving that will have a far reaching influence for good.

4% INTEREST.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

"THE BANK THAT DOES THINGS FOR YOU"

46 Main Street, Connelville.

Domestic and Foreign Money Orders. Steamship Tickets.

4% Interest With Absolute Safety

Why not secure for your savings every protection, and at the same time make them earn you a steady income.

This old and strong bank, organized in 1871, offers you the advantages of government, supervision, directors and officers, experienced in years in banking, also a capital and surplus of over \$100,000.

YOUR ACCOUNT WELCOMED.

Yough National Bank

for his services may not be able to get a raise in salary just at present, but he can make an effort to save a little from his weekly pay.

ONE DOLLAR will open an account at this bank and additional sums may be deposited from time to time. Try this plan.

The Man That Receives \$12 a Week

ONE DOLLAR will open an account at this bank and additional sums may be deposited from time to time. Try this plan.

SECOND NATIONAL BANK, CONNELLSVILLE.

The New Eight Story Building.

OR CHECKS

Derived from business should be deposited daily. The money for safety—the checks for collection.

Delay often causes a loss to the merchant. Start a checking account with this bank today and secure not only safety for money and checks but all the privileges of a modern bank.

Union National Bank, West Side, Connelville, Pa.

The Colonial National Bank

MAIN AND PITTSBURG STREETS, CONNELLSVILLE, PENNA.

Capital \$100,000.00 Surplus \$35,000.00

3 Per Cent. Paid on Deposits, Payable on Demand.

4 Per Cent. Paid on Time Deposits. Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent.

HAVE YOU MADE YOUR WILL?

If not it will be to your interest to call and talk the matter over with the Trustee and settle this important matter and get it off your mind. IT WILL COST YOU NOTHING. Life is uncertain at best and matters of this kind should be attended to. If properly drawn it will save your Executor a world of trouble.

TITLE & TRUST CO. OF WESTERN PENN'A

Capital and Surplus, \$427,000.00. 3 per cent. interest paid on money payable on demand. 4 per cent. interest paid on savings, compounded semi-annually. Transacts a general banking business. Your account solicited.

McCLAREN AGENT FOR FOOTERS DYE

UNIFORM LAWS FOR MINE PROTECTION.

Tentative Endorsement of Such Movement by Mining Institute.

A large gathering of the best minds among the mining men of Western Pennsylvania and adjoining districts was held yesterday at the School of Mines of the University of Pittsburgh as the first day's session of the winter meeting of the Coal Mining Institute of America, the closing session of which will be held today. The mining idea was gone over, pretty thoroughly yesterday afternoon, the morning session being taken up altogether with the election of officers, and the net result was a radical difference of opinion of experts as to the best provisions of safeguarding the mines and a tentative endorsement of the suggestion that a move be made to have the interested States enact uniform laws for the protection of the miners and the property they work.

One of the speakers was C. B. Franks, Superintendent at Leisegang No. 1, who told of the rescue station and the general safety measures adopted by the H. C. Frick Coke Company, and J. J. Rutledge of the United States Geological Survey, who gave a technical talk on the results of using safety explosives. Several of the members took part in the discussion, in the course of which it was brought out that the mining interests are working for a uniform law among the several States affected which will tend to assure efficiency and safety.

At the morning session yesterday officers were elected as follows: H. H. Stock, Urbana, Ill., President; A. W. Calloway, Punxsutawney; S. A. Taylor, Pittsburgh, and F. W. Cunningham, Charleston, Vice Presidents; Charles L. Fox, Greensburg, Secretary and Treasurer; James Black Crafton, J. W. Paul, Pittsburgh; J. B. Hanford, Morgantown, W. Va., and John Fulford, Dubois, with the above, form the executive committee.

MEN, COME TO ME

Results Guaranteed or No Pay for Service.

DR. BARNES, Specialist.
114 Main St., Conneltsville.
All diseases successfully treated. Last Manhood Restored. Weakness of Young Men. Female Allments, etc., and all Private Diseases Cured. X-Ray Examination free. Hours 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. On Thursdays open from 1:30 to 3 at night.

BED wetting is not merely a habit as so many suppose, but is due to weak or disordered kidneys. Give the child Zoeller's Kidney Remedy and the bed wetting will cease—usually a small bottle being sufficient to effect a permanent cure.

ZOELLER'S KIDNEY REMEDY

cures backache and all kinds of kidney and bladder trouble on down to the verge of bright's disease. It is pure, harmless and pleasant to take.

Connellsville, Pa., Nov. 10, 1909.
My kidneys had been out of order for a long time and I suffered much from pain in the back and tired-out feeling. After in the morning I would hardly drag myself out of bed. I was told of Zoeller's Kidney Remedy and now after using two bottles I am prepared to say that it is the best kidney remedy I have ever used. I want all my friends to know about it. F. M. Fisher, 116 Pittsburg Street.

Zoeller's Kidney Remedy is for sale by all dealers. Price 50c and \$1 a bottle.

SOISSON THEATRE.

All This Week
Saturday Matinee, Souvenir for Children

The Manhattan Stock Co.

The Aristocrats of Repertoire.
A Different Play Every Performance

Souvenir Mat., Sat. Dec. 18.
A beautiful Christmas gift given to each child attending this performance absolutely free

TONIGHT,
"The Prisoner of Andersonville."

PRICES.
Night 10c, 20c, 30c
Matinee, 10c, 20c
Seats now selling.



Christmas Buying Goes Merrily On.

Great Crowds Are Thronging the Store Where Christmas Shopping is Made Easy for Everybody.



"Easy" in a financial way because with the always dependable merchandise is coupled the lowest possible price. Easy to make your selections, too, on account of the great variety of gift articles displayed and marked in plain figures.

Knit Mufflers.

Phoenix and Ways Knit Mufflers, in white, black and colors. Very acceptable gifts for men, women and children. Neatly boxed 50c

Special Sale of Felt Hats.

Misses' and Children's Felt Hats.—Trimmed with scarfs, rosettes and bows of ribbon; black and colors; were \$1.50 to \$2.00 98c

Ladies' and Misses' Felt Hats.—Larger shapes and extra quality of felt, scarf and ribbon trimmed; reduced from \$2.25 and \$3.50 to \$1.69

China Plates.

One lot of Austrian China Bread and Butter Plates, worth 25c each. Three decorations to choose from. The quantity is limited, but while they last they go for 12½c

Umbrellas for All.

Ladies' Umbrellas with long Mission handles, plain or mounted \$1.00

Taffeta silk with long handles, gold and silver mounted \$1.50

Taffeta silk with gold and pearl handles \$3.00

Extra quality taffeta silk, with fine imported Mission handles, at \$3.00 to \$5.00

Children's Umbrellas.—With plain and fancy handles 50c to \$1.50.

Men's Umbrellas with a great variety of plain and fancy handles at \$1.00 to \$5.00

Toyland Delights the Children.



Electric Railways, Stationary Engines and other machinery for the boy mechanically inclined; Roly Polys, Clowns and all sorts of Toys that "go," and enough animals to stock a menagerie. Nice Desks for the boy or girl with business inclinations and fine Wire and Brass Beds in which the little Mother can tuck away her sleeping doll. And the Dolls—all kinds and sizes—with Stoves, Furniture and Dishes enough to start them all in housekeeping. But we cannot begin to describe it to you. You will simply have to come to see with your own eyes the many interesting things here for you.

Ladies' Hand Bags.

Leather Bags in black and colors; gun metal and gold trimmed, leather lined, inside coin purse, at \$1.00

Leather Bags in brown, tan and black, well trimmed, leather lined, inside coin purse. A variety of styles, at \$1.50

Seal Bags made of one piece goat seal, gun metal trimmed, kid lined, with coin purse; 14-inch bag \$6.00

A number of other styles at from \$1.00 to \$10.00.

Outdoor Toys.

Automobiles.—Well constructed serviceable machines. Eight different models ranging in price from \$5.00 to \$8.50

Irish Mills, substantial and well finished, either iron or wood frames, rubber tires. Three models \$4.00 to \$4.50

Velocipedes ranging in size from 16 to 24 inch wheel \$1.50 to \$4.00

Tricycles \$4.50 to \$8.50

Doll Carts.—A fine collection 50c to \$6

Daisy Air Rifles 75c to \$1.75

Lamps.

A full line of gas and electric lamps of artistic designs with fancy shades \$4 to \$25

Special.—Mission Lamp complete for gas or electric light \$3.00

Fine China and Cut Glass.

An Always Appreciative Gift.

Beside dinner sets and "open stock" the china department is showing a fine line of odd pieces for Christmas. There is no more acceptable gift article than a piece of dainty china or rich cut glass.

Fancy China.

Nut Bowls 50c to \$3.00
Cracker Jars \$2.00 to \$3.00
Chocolate Sets \$3.00 to \$14.00
Sugar and Creams 65c to \$2.00
Tea Sets \$4.50
Spoon Trays \$1.40
Comb and Brush Trays \$1.45 to \$2.50
Olive Dishes 70c
Mayonnaise 50c to \$1.65
Berry Dishes \$1.00 to \$3.50
Hair Receivers 25c to 85c

Fancy China.

China Plaques with game, fruit and floral decorations, very fine, \$4.50 to \$5.50.
Austrian China.—Odd pieces, including sugars, creams, oatmeals, fruit saucers, spoon trays, cups and saucers, plates, hair receivers, etc.
Imported Fancy Vases.—Beautiful designs in fruit and floral decorations. At 25c to \$9.25
Steins 50c to \$2.50

Cut Glass.

Punch Bowls \$15.00
Berry Dishes \$3.50 to \$6.75
Vases \$3.00 to \$8.00
Water Pitchers \$5.50 to \$7.50
Water Glasses, dozen \$2.75 to \$15.00
Sugar and Creams \$4.50 to \$8.50
Comports \$3.00
Nappies \$2.50 to \$7.00
Footed Nappies \$3.00 to \$3.25

Ideal Gifts for Men.



Smoking Jackets or house coats. The most comfortable garment a man can wear, but something he rarely buys for himself. Always an appropriate gift \$5.00 to \$10.00

Bath Robes, good comfortable garments in a variety of attractive patterns \$4.00 to \$8.50

Sweaters in black, white and colors, trimmed in colors \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Fancy Suspenders, elastic lisle web 50c; silk web, 75c to \$1.00.

Scarf Pins and Cuff Buttons. An assortment of choice designs 25c to \$3.50

Men's Half Hose.—Four pairs of "Interwoven" hose, assorted colors, in Christmas box \$1.00

Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs.—A large and most varied line, including plain linen, embroidered, hemstitched and lace trimmed, colored, barred and striped 5c to \$3.50
Children's Handkerchiefs, plain white and white with colored borders, in book form boxes 25c
Children's Initial Handkerchiefs, three in a box. Per box 25c
Children's Initial Handkerchiefs, made of pure linen. Each 25c

Specials.

75 Ladies' Umbrellas, with strong cover guaranteed fast black and long mission handle. Worth \$1.25, special price until Christmas \$1.00
Fancy Persian Ribbon.—Thirty-five pieces and six inches wide, all colors; worth up to 50c. Special price 29c
27 Inch Silk Scarfing in new Persian designs. A variety of colors. Special price per yard 50c

Traveling Bags.



Every season more Traveling Bags and Suit Cases are sold for gifts. The tendency this year is very marked.

Solid Leather Bags, leather lined and brass trimmed; black and tan; size 16 inches for \$5.00

Cowhide Bags, black, leather lined; size 18 inches \$10.00

Box Calf Bags, in either black or tan; size 18 inches \$15.00

Genuine Walrus Bags, leather lined, three pockets, size 18 inches \$17.50

Suit Cases, made of genuine cowhide, attractive and serviceable \$5.00 to \$15.00

Wright-Metzler Company